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Subject: more from Dylan re: Superfund Alternative Approach Guidance

Hi again – I sent Dylan an email to let him know we got his questions and were working on a response. Below is his reply, fyi.

Thanks - Whitney

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From: Laslovich, Dylan (Tester) [mailto:Dylan_Laslovich@tester.senate.gov]

Sent: Tuesday, February 16, 2016 10:59 AM

To: Trulove, Whitney <Trulove.Whitney@epa.gov> **Subject:** RE: Superfund Alternative Approach Guidance

Thanks Whitney. I know some of these questions are a bit open-ended and ask for subjective answers but any timely responses would be helpful in keeping the community on the same page. Let me know if you have any questions.

From: Trulove, Whitney [mailto:Trulove.Whitney@epa.gov]

Sent: Tuesday, February 16, 2016 10:00 AM

To: Laslovich, Dylan (Tester)

Subject: FW: Superfund Alternative Approach Guidance

Hello Dylan – I am covering for Rebecca Russo this week and just wanted to let you know your email about Superfund Alternative Approach Guidance has been forwarded to me. I will be working with the appropriate technical folks here at Region 8 to get a response for you. Stay tuned.

Thanks - Whitney

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Sent: Friday, February 12, 2016 10:31 AM

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Subject: RE: Superfund Alternative Approach Guidance

Hey all:

My colleague Chad Campbell spoke with community leaders and the below questions came out of that. This should also help give everyone context of what we're hearing on the ground. I believe the Agency had told some local residents that the alternative approach is faster which is part of the reason they are so interested in it. From what I gather, that's a tough question to answer as there are a lot of variables. We covered much of this on the call but it would be helpful to get responses to the below so we can help disseminate the information.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

- 1. Does the CFAC site qualify for the Superfund alternative approach?
- 2. If so, is the Alternative Approach a faster and better method than the traditional NPL/Superfund approach?
- 3. What are the advantages of the Alternative approach?
- 4. What are the drawbacks of the Alternative approach?
- 5. Who makes the decision as to which approach is used? Is there public comment/input on this approach?
- 6. If the alternative approach is selected and Glencore/CFAC "walks away" after testing is completed, what happens? Does EPA than have to start the NPL process all over or does it get listed and Superfund procedures started?
- 7. We were led to believe that the site was already listed on the NPL please provide clarification on the process and where it currently stands?

From: Russo, Rebecca [mailto:Russo.Rebecca@epa.gov]

Sent: Monday, February 08, 2016 11:56 AM

To: Laslovich, Dylan (Tester); Nylund, Erik (Tester); Campbell, Chad (Tester); DiLuccia, Janelle (Tester); Swanson, Dayna

(Tester)

Cc: Thomas, Deb; Madigan, Andrea; Cirian, Mike **Subject:** Superfund Alternative Approach Guidance

Hi all,

Please find attached a copy of the Superfund Alternative Approach Guidance we discussed Thursday.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Rebecca

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